TORCHWOOD: ABSENT FRIENDS by James Goss

#### SCENE 23, INT, ANOTHER STUDIO CORRIDOR

FX: ANOTHER DOOR GOES. JACK RUNNING. STRANGE ECHOES. LINES PLAY BEFORE THEY ARE SAID PROPERLY. SOME ECHO BACKWARDS UNDERNEATH. SOME WORDS MUCH LOUDER THAN THEY SHOULD BE. SOME FEEL LIKE THEY'RE BEING PLAYED OFF A TIRED TAPE.

# JACK:

(RUNNING) Ianto! Ianto! Where - where's he gone? Mishka?

# DOCTOR:

(CLEARS THROAT, EXPERIMENTING) I'm here.

# JACK:

(STOPPING) Oh. You've found your voice.

#### DOCTOR:

I'm in the dark.

JACK: The bleet gov - oligis dans ofal sent bel sor reconstra va We have to recapture that thing.

#### DOCTOR:

How do you capture sound?

### JACK:

The tape did.

# DOCTOR:

And now it's escaped.

#### JACK:

What we do?

# DOCTOR:

We talk.

# JACK: DEPENDENCE STATEMENT OF STATEMENT OF STATEMENT STA

Is that a plan?

# DOCTOR:

No. It's what friends do. Is there anything you want to say to me?